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The amendment filed on 12/28/07 canceling all claims drawn to the elected invention and presenting only claims drawn to a non-elected invention is non-responsive (MPEP § 821.03). The remaining claims are not readable on the elected invention because Applicant's original invention (see previous response filed 04/17/07) was drawn to "delayed **OR** extended" release. Applicant now presents claims drawn to "delayed **AND** extended" release, a combination which is a new invention and would require a new search based upon the amendment presented.

Since the above-mentioned amendment appears to be a *bona fide* attempt to reply, applicant is given a TIME PERIOD of ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer, from the mailing date of this notice within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) ARE AVAILABLE.

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